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ANNUAL HIGH SCHOOL PARTY

The evening of April 4th, arrived and with it came our Patriotic High School Party. For that evening the assembly hall was appropriately decorated in red, white, and blue, to represent the air force, navy and army.

On arriving at the door each guest signed a social register and was received by our reception committee—Nell Proudfoot, Iona Odden, and Winnifred Marr. Each guest was then presented with a lapel sticker and a hat and entered to join in the frolic and fun. From 9 until 10, a great variety of games and contests, conducted by Olga Zawasky and Don Nicholson, were enjoyed by all.

After the games followed our Grand March, played by Emily Zawasky and led by Miss Byler and Miss McDonald, Dancing followed from 10 until 12.

With 12 o'clock came lunch. This consisted of sandwiches, two kinds of cake, ice cream, and squeak buns, served on white fluted plates decorated with small silk flags. Those taking part in the entertainment which followed were: Olga and Emily Zawasky—duet; Margaret Davis—piano selection; Marie Gilbertson and Eva Marr—duet; Hazel Harrington—piano selection; Bernice Petersou—accordion selection; Ruth Harrington—toast to the King; Mr. Charyk and Rev. Hall each gave an appropriate talk. Little gifts of appreciation were presented to Miss Byler, Miss McDonald and Mr. Watson for their faithful assistance towards making our party a success.

Dancing again took its place with Rev. Christensen as master of ceremonies. Noisemakers, confetti and serpentine, were now distributed. Excitement followed with novelty dances. Prizes were given to the following, Spot Dance Hazel Harrington and Ray Peterson; Priz: Waltz Iona Oden and Bruce Hutchison; Elimination Dance Margaret Davis and Art Brooks; Jitterbug Contest Iona Odden and Don Nicholson. Our "Personality" contest was won by Miss McDonald, and our Jelly Bean contest by Florence Barros. About 3 o'clock our orchestra, Emily Zawasky, Ted DeMaere, Sid DeMaere, and Ervie Blagen played "God Save The King", and ended our party. We sincerely hope that each and every one enjoyed themselves and from all reports, we believe they did.

NAPOLEON AND HITLER

(The New York Times, March 23rd, 1941)

In his "Principals of war" Foch pointed out that since the French Revolution wars have been waged by whole nations and that they have been largely economic in character. It follows that they have had similar characteristics. Historians have not failed to point out that the Napoleonic wars strikingly resemble that in which Hitler is now engaged.

Napoleon had no fleet after Trafalgar; Hitler has none. Both were therefore compelled to harry British shipping—Napoleon with improvised cruisers and privateers; Hitler with submarines, airplanes, and mines. Napoleon dominated most of Europe; Hitler has almost equaled him. Napoleon instituted the continental blockade to cut off British trade; Hitler has imitated him. The British retaliated with a much more effective blockade of their own in 1806-1812 and in 1940-41. Just as Napoleon coerced Sweden, Denmark, Portugal, Spain and Italy into a position favorable to him, so Hitler forced much of Europe to bow to his will. Napoleon had his fifth columnists even as Hitler has today. It was Napoleon who invented Blitzkrieg and not Hitler, but both saw that rapid blows alone could quickly reduce one country after another.

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LOCAL NEWS

A special Easter service will be held in Chinook United Church at 11:45 Sunday morning.

Mrs W. Zawasky and daughter Emily left Monday night for Kindersley, where Emily will enter the hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mr Ralph Odden returned to his home at Lanfine Monday night.

Mrs A Czerkas returned on Saturday night from Kindersley.

Mr Vic Laurence returned to Chinook on Saturday night.

Mr Art Campbell was an Oyen visitor on Friday.

Mr Coutts was an Oyen visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zawasky attended the section meeting in Alaskask, with Mr. Czerkas on Sunday.

Mr. Andrew Soloweyko returned from Calgary Saturday night.

Miss Retta Cornell of Vancouver is visiting with her brother's and sisters in Chinook.

Mr. Maurice Massey of Basano, formerly of Chinook, has recently joined the Air Force.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Maurer in Cereal hospital on March 29th, a baby girl, Dolores Marie.

A special Easter Day service will be held at Chinook School with Reverend E. H. Christmas in charge at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Bill BARGAIN FARES

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Low fares also from stations between Sibbald and Norfolk.

Good Going: April 15 and 16. Returning: Leave Calgary up to and including April 19. Good in coaches only. No baggage checked. Children five years and under twelve, half fare.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL

WEDDING BELLS

On Thursday, April 3rd, a pretty wedding was solemnized in Jehovah Lutheran church, Calgary. Tressa Astessa Connell Vennard, youngest daughter of Mr. Levi Vennard and Walter August Rosenau of Chinook were united in bonds of Holy matrimony. The Rev. P. Nunderschultz officiated.

The bride entered the church, on the arm of Mr. G. Connell, to the strains of the Wedding March. She wore traditional white satin and veil. She carried a bouquet of roses and valley lilies. She was preceded by Miss Marion Connell, as maid of honor, gowned in floor length pink net and Miss Helena Rosenau, in blue sheer, as bridesmaid. Each carried a bouquet of roses.

The groom was attended by Mr. H. Rosenau and Mr. R. Vennard.

A wedding reception and supper was held for 24 guests at the Ave. Grill.

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The "Advance" joins the many friends of the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Rosenau.

In wishing for them a very happy and prosperous married life.



By Dr. K. W. Neatby

Director, Agricultural Department

North-West Line Elevators Association

Cropping Methods

Four weeks ago we asked the question: "Will plow fields wear out?"

We answered, "Yes, unless present methods of crop production are altered."

Since the announcement of the Dominion Government Wheat Policy for 1941, it is apparent that our cropping methods will be altered. I have suggested on several occasions that the war, and the embarrassing wheat carry-over for which we are now largely responsible, might well force us to adopt better farming practices.

By that I mean practices which will be better for the land, and which will ensure we will produce more.

It is not so unfortunate that steps were not taken last fall to prevent the exportation to the United States of the bulk of our 1940 grass seed crop. Had this been done, we could have been in a better position to carry on our conservation programme. Instead, government funds which might have been devoted to grass subsidies will largely be used for increased summer wheat production.

Extensive increases in summerfallow acreage will inevitably aggravate the soil drifting and water erosion problems unless extreme care is taken in plow operation. Now, as never before, accurate information available at Dominion Experimental Stations should be consulted.

Wheat control, feed reserves and soil conservation should be our headlines this season.

We should raise more livestock. Let's put the manure where it belongs on the land.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

Old English Brand Peas	3 tins	35c
Onions (Boilers)	10 lbs.	33c
Fresh Dates, Large	2 lbs.	45c
Walkers' Soda Biscuits	2 pkgs	25c
Empress Brand Cherry Jam	pail	64c
" " Red Plum Jam "	48c	
Oranges, large	dozen	35c
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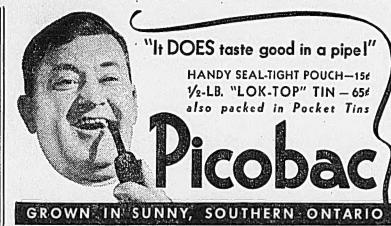
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A Morale Restorative

Whatever may be the ultimate outcome of the revolt of the people of Yugoslavia against the betrayal of their country by their erstwhile rulers, it is one of the most significant events that has so far occurred in the progress of the war on the European continent, and even if it does not prevent that country from eventually being gobblled up by the Nazi hordes it will have a long-range and far-reaching effect on the course of the conflict and possibly upon its duration.

The immediate practical effect of the unexpected turn of events in Yugoslavia, of course, is to have put a very bad crimp in Adolf Hitler's plans. It has slowed up his triumphal march to the southeast at a time when rapid movement was a vital necessity to the success of his major objective, the campaign to defeat Britain, before Italy can be knocked out and before material assistance from the United States turns the scales definitely against the Axis powers.

But the blow which Hitler has received at the hands of the common people of Yugoslavia can be calculated to have an even more important effect in the bolstering of morale which it will furnish for the people of those countries which have been brought under the Nazi yoke and who are now looking around agonizingly for some sign that the fetters which bind them will eventually be knocked off.

Further, the magnificent example of the action of the Serbs will do much to encourage the people of other countries, not yet under the Nazi yoke, whose rulers Hitler might expect to use as pawns in his game of conquest by subversive methods followed by display of mechanized military might.

It is possible that history may eventually show that the stiffened resistance to Nazi demands put up by the populace of Yugoslavia proved to be the turning point in the war on the continent of Europe, not only because of its immediate result, but because of its effect on the later course of the war.

Waiting For The Day

Out of the thick pall of murk which overhangs the gloom of Nazi-ruled Europe, sufficient evidence is trickling through to demonstrate beyond doubt that millions of the subjugated peoples are anxiously awaiting the moment when from within, they can give effective help to their deliverers from without.

In every one of these subjugated countries millions are playing the game of passive resistance to the decrees and the policies of the hated conqueror. Some of the more daring are engaging in overt acts of sabotage, whenever and wherever an opportunity is afforded. In most of these countries secret and skillfully hidden radio transmitters are keeping the people informed of what is going on beyond their own narrow boundaries. As a result Hitler is forced to keep large standing armies on guard in every one of the countries that he has added to his collection in the past 18 months, reducing equipment and personnel available for his program of further expansion and for carrying on his war against Britain. Even in those countries where the particularly harsh treatment as has been meted out to the Poles has been modified, the sufferings of the people have been and are sufficiently severe to make them "non-co-operative." Half-starved, while their conquerors live on the best that is available; robbed of all liberty and privileges, millions of these people are too proud to bow in submission and only await the propitious moment to arise once more and assert themselves.

Spirit Is There

A few incidents related in the Continental press illustrate the spirit abroad in the conquered countries. Three thousand people, many of them from afar, attended the funeral of a Norwegian sailor who was killed by the bayonet of a German soldier when he resented remarks made by the soldier while the Norwegian was walking with a girl of his own nationality in the town park of Molde.

A Dutchman was sentenced to three years when he seriously injured a German soldier in a case by throwing a beer glass at him. Three young Dutchmen were sentenced to 17 months imprisonment for expressing their enmity to the German forces by taking the caps of German officers from a restaurant cloakroom and tearing them to pieces. "Certainly a mild sentence for this great insult," declared the German court.

In Brussels, Belgium, when Germans board trains all the other passengers alight. The cinemas which show German news reels are empty.

In spite of tremendous privations and persecutions, Polish resistance is growing. In Kalisz, a Polish technician was imprisoned for publicly talking of damage by R.A.F. raids on Berlin. In Lodz, a 17-year-old boy was sentenced to ten years imprisonment on the charge of insulting a German official. In Dortmund, a special tribunal sentenced a Pole to death who had left his work in Germany and resisted arrest. In a village near Magdeburg, Germany, three German women were sentenced to 18 months imprisonment for giving food and cigarettes to Polish prisoners of war.

Incidents of this kind could be multiplied by hundreds and by thousands, if only all the information were available. It demonstrates the spirit that is abroad among these people, and the heartening effect upon them and the stimulus it will give to continued resistance as the news of the Yugoslav revolt penetrates to the innermost corners can scarcely be over-emphasized.

Irrigation Project

Study Plans For Additional Works In Southern Alberta

Appointment of federal and provincial committees to study the possibility of constructing a large number of additional irrigation works and providing water for about twice the area now under irrigation in southern Alberta was announced by Agriculture Minister MacMillan.

Among the projects to be studied by the committee, Mr. MacMillan said, is a plan for the best use of the waters of the parts of the St. Mary's and Milk rivers running through Alberta.

WOMEN WANTED

30 to 32 years old. Women who are restless, moody, NERVOUS—who fear hot flashes, dizzy spells—to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Pinkham's is famous for its "tonic" and "restorative" properties due to functional irregularities. Get a bottle today from your druggist! WORTH TRYING!

Loose Thinking

Careless Talk That Does Not Aid The War Effort

Ah, well, say the end-of-everything school, what is the use of worrying? Everybody is going broke, anyway. We might as well spend while we have the money. If this school prevails we certainly shall go broke, and it will not be the rich who will suffer chiefly. It will be the great middle class, the vast majority of Canadians, the four million men and women who have savings in the bank, the three and a half millions who have life insurance policies.

They will be the chief victims of this end-of-everything theory, for that theory, if it captures our government, will surely mean the end of savings, of fixed incomes, of life insurance. But it need not be the end of everything if we keep our heads and tighten our belts.—Vancouver Sun.

A woman circus performer in Moscow holds a porterhouse steak in her teeth as a huge lion nibbles at it.

Had Grandstand View

British Seaman Describes Destruction Of Two German Subs

Destruction of two German U-boats, a phase of the war seldom mentioned in official dispatches, was described by a merchant seaman, who said he had a grandstand view and that it was the "most thrilling experience of my life."

(The dispatch indicated that the seaman was in a convoy attacked at night by a pack of U-boats.)

Warships, with "hun" signals flapping from their yards, charged into the attack, throwing out depth charges, the seaman said.

"Star shells and Verey lights illuminated the sky. Searchlights swept the water. There was a series of dull explosions as the depth charges went off. Great columns of water were hurled up.

"The water scarcely had settled back after the first U-boat broke the surface. It was badly battered, and as I watched, it split up and slipped back into the oily sea."

More depth charges splashed into the sea, the seaman said, and soon the ocean trembled with muffled explosions. Then the second U-boat jerked into view.

"When she broke the surface the warships' guns let go a salvo and the U-boat was blown to pieces before my eyes," the seaman said.

Like Canada

Australian Flyers Find Weather Here Invigorating

Romance has come to a number of Australians who have journeyed thousands of miles to attend advanced flying schools in Canada under the British Commonwealth Air Training plan.

"Your winter has not only been most invigorating and the hospitality of your people magnificent, but some of our young men have also found romance in your country," said Air Vice-Marshal S. J. Goble, chief of the Australian air mission, who has just completed a tour of schools where Australians are being trained.

Regulations do not permit a cadet to marry while he is undergoing training, and the air vice-marshal said that once the course was completed applications for marriage would be considered "and no doubt granted."

Although most of the Australian airmen have come to Canada from a climate approaching sub-tropical they weathered the rigors of their first Canadian winter with a minimum of illness.

Risky For Submarines

Icebergs Likely To Keep U-Boats Longer On The Surface

In extreme northern waters icebergs abound in the late spring and early summer, states Arthur Brock in the New York Times. They constitute an especial risk for submerged craft, since a great part of their bulk is below the surface. This, it is believed, will keep the submarines on the surface of the ocean more often and for longer periods than suits their purpose. The distance from their quarry at which aircraft can detect them, and the long span of daylight in those latitudes, offset to some extent the protection of darkness. These are the catches for the submarines.

China Still Goes Ahead

Engineers Begin Surveys For Highway Across Mountains To India

The Sault Daily Star says: There is no keeping China down. A group of Chinese engineers has left Chungking for southern Sikang Province to begin surveys for a highway from Ningyuan across Tibet and across some of the highest mountains in the world to Sadiya, Assam, India. It would open a new back door to China and connect the upper Yangtze River with a railway running northward into India in Chitagon. The route would cross mountains 20,000 feet high and the construction would be one of the most daring and difficult highway jobs ever undertaken.

Safeguard His Fortune

A German industrialist whom the Nazis didn't catch off third base is Fritz von Opel, the motor magnate, who, when he sold out his German works to General Motors in 1929 at peak, had the \$8,000,000 placed to his credit in his bank. Came the war and he scammed here to join it, leaving no fortune behind for the Nazi mobsters to seize.

A wife is a creature who snatches a minute between cleaning up the dishes, the house and the children to skim through an article on Should Married Women Work?"

Idea Not Very Popular

Many Americans Think Food For France Will Benefit Germany

Apparently a tentative agreement has been reached between the United States and Great Britain to permit American food to go to unoccupied France. The food will be shipped in French ships and will be distributed under the direction of the American Red Cross. The Vichy Government will be asked to give strict guarantees that none of the food will be diverted elsewhere.

Many Americans will regret that this country is to undertake feeding of France. No matter what safeguards are imposed and no matter how strict the supervision, Hitler will benefit directly or indirectly from this.

Fortunately the venture is in the nature of an experiment. Even many of those who advocate it frankly admit their misgivings and say that their future course will be guided by how this first attempt works out. In other words, our policy and that of Great Britain with respect to feeding France is still uncertain. That will be determined later.

We would like greatly to see the United States adhere to the course that it is our duty to feed all the people that Hitler has enslaved.

That certainly would be playing into the hands of the Germans with a vengeance. Hitler has announced that any ships carrying food to England, whether they be American ships or not, will be promptly sunk. In the face of this we ship food into territory controlled by the Germans and ask the British to permit those ships to be given safe passage.

Great Britain has been reluctant to yield on this matter. She yields now, undoubtedly, because of American pressure and against her own better judgment. Now that the decision appears to have been made, we in this country whose position has been similar to that of the British will yield too, but we do so with reservations and in the hope that if the result of the experiment justifies our fear it will not be continued.—Watertown, N.Y., Daily Times.

SELECTED RECIPES

BRAN DUMPLINGS TOP THE STEW

For your dinner's "in a stew" just top it off with bran dumplings and "you'll do well to add the essence of your meal." This new version of an old favorite, is the answer to every cook's ambition—dumplings, which are light, digestible and appetizing.

You don't have to be a master-cook to make these dumplings turn out perfectly. The secret is in the recipe, and even a bride may follow these directions and will come up with dumplings as good as any mother used to make! Try them on the family, and remember the one general rule for cooking: if your stew is very liquid, remove some of the liquid and add a few more hot water to the dumplings. Your stew should be "meaty" enough to keep the dumpling up while it is cooking.

Bran Dumplings

1 1/2 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon baking powder
1/2 cup milk
1 tablespoon melted shortening
1/2 cup All-Bran
1/2 cup milk
Sift flour, salt and baking powder together. Beat egg until light, add 1/2 cup milk and 1/2 cup melted shortening. Add liquid mixture to sifted dry ingredients and stir only until flour disappears. Drop batter by heaping teaspoonfuls on top of hot meaty stew; cover lightly and let simmer for 20 minutes without removing cover. Serve hot. Yield: 8 dumplings.

CROWN BRITISH CAKE

1/4 cup shortening
1/2 cup white sugar
1 egg
1/2 cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups pastry flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup chopped nuts
1/2 cup seedless raisins, cut fine

Method: Cream shortening and sugar until light. Add egg, corn syrup and vanilla. Beat well. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with milk. Add nuts and raisins. Pour into pan 8" x 12" lined with waxed paper and oiled with Mazola. Bake in moderate oven. Temperature: 350 degrees F. Time: 45 minutes.

Nazis Cannot Control Thoughts

The Dutch have been told, in just so many words, that even to think had thoughts of their German conquerors would be done at the risk of death. This is where the Nazis make their grossest miscalculation. They cannot—by the sword—destroy the intellect or subdue the spirit of those whom they oppress. And this will prove their undoing.—The Argonaut.

Men sneeze more readily than women, says Dr. M. W. Jenison of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

For BETTER desserts

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Dive To Victory

Story Of A British Pilot Attacked By Four Nazi Planes

A spectacular three-mile "dive to victory" by the pilot of Royal Air Force Spitfire, attacked by four German Messerschmitt 109's 20,000 feet above the sea, was described by the British air ministry.

The ministry said the British pilot eluded the Germans' concentrated assault, but his nose down "went into a dive of such velocity that the structural cover of the cockpit was torn off and the goggles whipped off his face."

At 4,000 feet above the English Channel waters, he pulled out of his dive and saw a German plane which had been pursuing him hurtle past him out of control and plunge into the sea.

Minister To New Zealand

Summer Welles, acting secretary of state, said President Roosevelt had up for immediate consideration appointment of a United States minister to New Zealand. It is expected a career service diplomat with long experience in the Far East will be named.

Perhaps They Could

The Brockville Recorder and Times asks this question: If women can make appointments at their hair-dressing parlors, why can't men do likewise at their barber shops instead of frequently having to wait in their turn in the chair?

Old Dobbin has his faults but you never saw another horse hitched in front pulling him to the barn for repairs.

War Services Campaign

Elevator Agents In Saskatchewan Soliciting Donations Of Wheat

The Canadian War Services Fund has enlisted as workers the 3,200 elevator agents in Saskatchewan. If on an average 100 bushels of wheat are donated by the growers at each elevator, it would mean that 300,000 bushels would be contributed by the farmers of this province. Every wheat grower in Saskatchewan will be canvassed by the elevator men, and it is confidently expected that the objective will not only be reached, but greatly exceeded. The province of Saskatchewan has undertaken to raise the sum of \$265,000 in support of the fund, and if everyone for days in both urban and rural sections will do their part there is every reason to expect that the campaign will go over the top. If we are to maintain for ourselves and our posterity the freedom which we now enjoy, we must be prepared to make every sacrifice for its preservation.

Passive Resistance

Workers in Amsterdam are not proving to be at all tractable to their Nazi masters; they remain home for days at a stretch, causing factories and public services to close. Hitler may find it difficult to overcome this passive resistance.

Made Successful Gliide

His engine failing over northern France a Spitfire pilot glided his plane 80 miles to his airdrome in southern England—he just made it.

Turkey's crops of wheat, barley, rye and oats in 1940 were the largest in recent years.

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DAUGHTER OF DESTINY

—BY—
Eleanor Atterbury Colton

CHAPTER I.—Continued

"A great pleasure, Senorita Rabeourne." His smile was a white ivory flash in his swarthy face, and his eyes—

Devona didn't quite know what to think about his eyes. She felt herself flushing uncomfortably under their bold search.

"You must bring the Senorita in the evening, my friend," he went on. "Then we have the music and dancing and singing. This is siesta time."

He shrugged easily.

"Some time—maybe?" Dale murmured, not too enthusiastically. "And now, if you'll excuse me a moment, Devona, I'll wind up my business and we'll be on our way."

"Certainly!" Devona, smiling, watched the two men across the huge, nearly deserted dining room, enter a door marked "Private—Manager."

Strange that Dale should have "business" with some one like Senor Macias, she mused, idly, the waiters in Mexican costume who lounged against the iron railing of the imitation patio. There was something so—romantic, so storybook about this place. She said that to Dale when a little later, he helped her into the blue coupe again.

"Romantic?" He laughed. "Depends on what kind of storybooks you like! This one wouldn't be healthy reading for a sweet kid like you."

"I'm—going on 19," she said a little stiffly.

"Maybe?" Dale grinned. "But you're not going on any slumming parties—not yet! You leave that to the movie stars and the idle rich."

"But Senor Macias looks as if he might be a movie star himself," she objected, still a little pliqued. "And I'm sure he'd be offended if he knew you called his elaborate club—slums."

Dale laughed, a hearty, deep-throated sound. Then: "You're right there. And Macias is handsome. No denying that. The girls go for that sort of daredevil gallantry of his. And most of them get their poor little hearts broken for their trouble."

"Why? Is Senor Macias a woman hater?"

"Far from it. He loves them and leaves them. Any pretty new face, and it's off with the old and on with the new. Some day that boy is going to wake up with a knife in his back."

"Mercy!" Devona gasped. "How melodramatic!"

"Nothing melodramatic about the money that follows makes," Dale went on. "He's a smart business man. Plays up that Mexican stuff for all it's worth. It's a break for me, at that."

"How?"

"I'm in the D.A.'s office. Just a punk assistant; but I'm working with the boss on some special stuff right now. Jose helps me meet the 'right people'." He cocked an eyebrow. "Kens knows everybody, and sooner or later everybody turns up at El Mexicano."

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They were leaving the business district rapidly behind now, racing by pretty suburban homes, lovely gardens ablaze with color.

"It must be exciting, being an attorney," Devona thought aloud. "What special thing are you working on now?"

"Dope running, mostly. A big supply of heroin started coming in here a couple months ago. So far we can't trace it. Jose has given me some good tips, but as yet we haven't made any arrests."

Devona's eyes widened. "But isn't it awfully dangerous?"

"Not so far. I haven't gotten that close to a runner. But—" his jaw set, "I will. I've got to. The D.A.'s about to retire. Might mean I get his job—if I make good."

"You will?" One look at the determination in those blue eyes would convince any one of that!

"Maybe—some day," he grinned again. "Now let's talk about you. About how you learned to be so pretty, for instance."

Still talking down to her, as if she were mildly blouses, Devona realized, "I didn't learn it," she said archly. "It's a gift."

He laughed again from somewhere deep inside, and the sound did amazing things to her pulse.

"And I suppose you couldn't help leaving a trail of broken hearts from Bombay or Timbuctoo, or whatever port you besieged last."

Quick glance under long lashes. "Oh—farther than that!"

"So now you've come to devastate all Hollywood?" He shook his head. "There ought to be a law."

"Sure?" He grinned at her, blue eyes teasing again. "Not scared, are you? A world traveller and—"

"No, of course not." She managed a smile and started up the tiled staircase after Wong. "See you later."

"Don't make it much later," Dale called after her. "I'll be waiting for you in the patio."

Flushing, Devona ran the remainder of the way. Dale was so nice. Surely some girl must already have discovered that. American men were different from Europeans. Different, she decided a little shyly, and nicer. Lots nicer.

thing" she'd been around, she wondered. And why should this tall, charming stranger try to warn her of something? Twice within the last hour he'd hinted at danger ahead.

CHAPTER II.

The great Spanish hacienda at the end of the palm-lined drive blazed with lights. For a minute, as Dale stopped the car in the curving gravelled drive, Devona saw the whole picture wash together in a blue of tears. Home! she whispered past the lump in her throat. Beautiful, spacious, hospitable past anything she'd dared dream. In another moment she'd step through that wide doorway and for the first time in 14 years, she would be—home.

A Chinese house-boy opened the car door, helped her out.

"Hello, Wong," Dale greeted him. "This is Miss Rabeourne, Miss Vadne's daughter."

The boy bobbed a bow at her. "Welcome, Miss Rabeourne," he said with an astonishingly British accent. "Miss Vadne has not yet returned. May I show you to your room?"

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"No, of course not." She managed a smile and started up the tiled staircase after Wong. "See you later."

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"You're certainly been around a lot, haven't you?" Dale asked once.

"Sorry." Devona smiled to her self. You don't go around admitting you've been raised like a Victorian. At least not to a fascinating some one like Dale Brasilia.

For a moment the desert slipped by silently. They'd long since exchanged green orchards for reddish rolling hills, mesquite-studded. And the pungent odor of sage.

Suddenly Dale murmured, almost angrily: "It's probably a damned good thing you have." And then, as if there were some significance.

"There's Palm Springs ahead now."

"Palm Springs?" And—home! Heart thumping, Devona saw the tiny constellation of lights flickering against the blue velvet backdrop of the sky. Anxiously she watched the lights rush toward them as the blue roadster leaped over the white highway. Why was it a "damned good

thing" she'd been around, she wondered. And why should this tall, charming stranger try to warn her of something? Twice within the last hour he'd hinted at danger ahead.

CHAPTER II.

The great Spanish hacienda at the end of the palm-lined drive blazed with lights. For a minute, as Dale stopped the car in the curving gravelled drive, Devona saw the whole picture wash together in a blue of tears. Home! she whispered past the lump in her throat. Beautiful, spacious, hospitable past anything she'd dared dream. In another moment she'd step through that wide doorway and for the first time in 14 years, she would be—home.

A Chinese house-boy opened the car door, helped her out.

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Will Not Relinquish Task

English-Speaking Democracies Determined to Secure Freedom For World

A. V. Alexander, first lord of the admiralty, said at a war weapons week, inaugural he did not believe the combined strength of the English-speaking democracies can be defeated or ultimately robbed of complete victory.

"I do not believe, great and hideous as may be the task which lies before us and heavy though the tribulation through which we must pass will be, that the two great English-speaking democracies—the British Commonwealth and the United States of America—will ever relinquish the task until freedom is secured."

"Make no mistake: if we are defeated we should perish. Let no one think that any compromise or peace terms would be possible with Hitler in such a case."

"We are not seeking dictatorship, nor the acquisition of territory. We seek freedom, the quiet way of life, and means to exchange the products of labor un molested. That must apply not only to the English-speaking democracies but to all the peoples of the world. We must not therefore be vainglorious or selfish in our war effort or our peacemaking."

This is the information as given by W. H. Somerville, joint chairman of the War Savings Committee, Ottawa, in answer to various enquiries and we agree that War Savings Certificates are one excellent way of helping the war effort—if you keep buying them regularly.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

The Canadian Red Cross

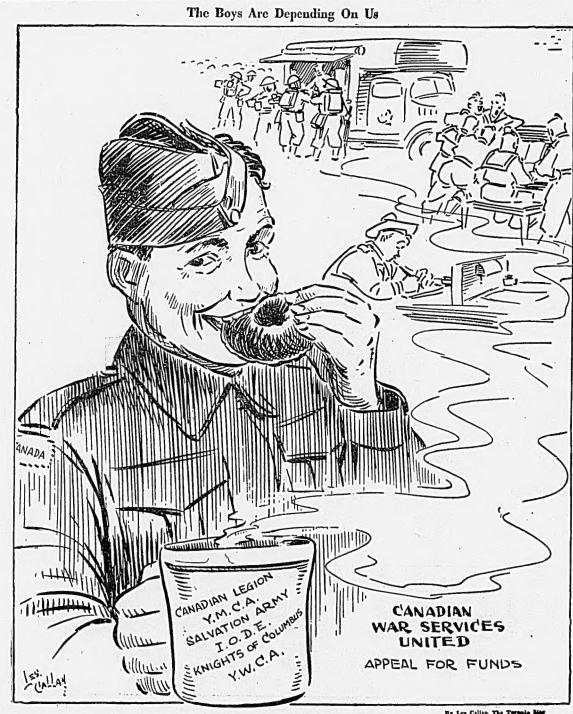
Staggering Quantities Of Relief Clothing Sent To Bomb Stricken Britain

Count Edward R. Raczyński, Polish ambassador in London, has sent the Canadian Red Cross Society an expression of gratitude for the help given by the Society overseas in supplying woolen comforts and hospital supplies to the Polish hospital and Polish troops in England. Count Raczyński's message delivered to Major C. A. Scott, Overseas commissioner, says: "It is with deep gratitude that I learn of this generous assistance and I am certain that our people will be greatly indebted to the Canadian Red Cross Society for this kindness. May I ask you to convey my thanks to all of my fellow countrymen and myself our very warm thanks to the Canadian Red Cross Society for their most benevolent action."

In the past 70 days, the Red Cross in England has released such staggering quantities of woolen comforts, relief clothing and surgical supplies that the Overseas office has stated that further shipments "in as large quantities as possible" will be urgently required. To refugee committees alone, including the Polish, and the Women's Voluntary Services have been given since January 376,055 woolen comforts and 225,665 articles of relief clothing. Blankets, quilts and relief clothing are needed immediately. To date the Canadian Red Cross has devoted two million dollars to the relief of bomb victims in England.

Corkscrews have sunk more people than cork jackets ever saved.

The Boys Are Depending On Us



By Lee Callicott, The Toronto Star

Chantecler
Slow Burning
CIGARETTE PAPERS
NONE FINER MADE

War Savings Certificates
Why It Is Found Necessary To Mail Them Out One At A Time

There's been a lot of comment from those who have ordered more than one certificate to find them arriving in separate envelopes. The thought was that it was a lot of extra work for clerks at Ottawa, but the exact opposite is the real truth. All this work is done by an intricate machine at the rate of 3,600 an hour and over 40,000 applications a day is the handling capacity. To search through this number of applications in order to put two or three in one envelope would be exceedingly costly.

Then, too, many people ask why the certificates are not made out to "Bearer." If they were they would be the same as money and when lost could not be traced—the present certificates cannot be used for any other purpose as they are registered in the owner's name.

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Carry Radio Sets

Australian Soldiers To Be Equipped With Broadcasting Outfit

An Australian foot-soldier will be able to carry a complete broadcasting and receiving radio station on his back when a new type wireless outfit is issued to the Australian Imperial Force. The equipment will be carried on the back like an ordinary infantry pack. It is an adaptation of the infantry Morse radio set used in England. The British set required two men for two-way working, but the Australian set enables one man to transmit by radio-telephone and receive with headphones. It will enable scouts to work singly, giving running commentaries on their observations as they go.

Gold Discovery

Many Claims Staked In New Field In Northwest Territories

The department of mines and resources reported that discoveries of gold "which show promise of commercial importance" have been made in the vicinity of Share and Emilie rivers and Wray lake in the Northwest Territories.

"Already a total of 500 claims has been staked in the new field which lies about 150 miles north of Yellowknife settlement, and preparations have been made for the carrying out of extensive exploratory and development work during the coming summer," the department's weekly bulletin said.

British Seamen Humane

Delayed Mine-Sweeping To Rescue Kitten From Italian Ship

British efforts to free Tobruk harbor of mines were delayed for a few minutes while a kitten was rescued from the Italian cruiser San Giorgio. The kitten had experienced for 48 hours the fierce fire which exploded the vessel's munitions.

Two seamen who boarded the cruiser from a rowing boat found the cat crying. They summoned a mine-sweeper, which took the cat and gave it milk, the skipper issuing orders as to how it could be nursed back to health.—London Daily Telegraph.

Germany's invasion chances of course are increased by the fact that it now has a large corps of experienced channel swimmers composed of airmen who have been shot down into the sea.

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Here's Real Relief for NOSES THAT CLOG, DRY UP AFTER DARK

3-PURPOSE MEDICINE How much better you feel—when you clear nose of congestion, relieve irritation at bedtime with Va-tro-nol!

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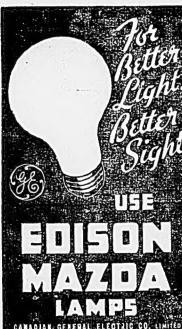
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ROUND
ABOUT
TOWN

It's not often that Young folks care to haul soft water water. But last evening it appeared as though some were enjoying themselves immensely. Was it the water hauling they were interested in or was it the onlookers?

Car washing seems to be quite a fad these days, there competition for the shiniest car, or are the frogs the attraction.

It looks as though a terrible whirlwind must have struck the town lately. At least, everywhere we happen to look we meet some toused head.

Blitzkriegs, blackout, jitterbugs, etc. all were on exhibition last Friday. What a night! Sure seems as though Germany struck hard, as the plaster from the ceilings now appears on the floor.

We wonder why the small, deserted grey weather beaten house N. W. of town, was suddenly taken to such a prominent place. Old though it is it will now probably be a most popular hangout.

Miss Madeline Otto of Oyen, spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Otto last week.

Miss Retta Cornell of Vancouver, is visiting with her brothers and sisters in town for a few weeks.

Fine weather has prevailed throughout the past week, and it is expected that the land will soon be dry enough to permit the commencement of spring work.

Mr. Ernie Robertson, left this week for Kindersley, where he will receive medical treatment.

WORDS OF
WISDOM

GEMS OF THOUGHT
FOR A PEOPLE
AT WAR

"You ask, what is our aim? I can answer in one word. It is victory. Victory at all costs. Victory in spite of all terrors. Victory, no matter how long and hard the road may be, for without victory there is no survival."

Winston Churchill

These Axis failures have echoed round the world, and everywhere bowed heads are being raised again. Old hopes that had died are being reborn driving out despair.

Lord Halifax

Chinook Hotel

A Home Away From Home

Try Our Meals

GOOD ROOMS

W. H. Barros

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MEMBERS AND ADHERENTS OF
UNITED CHURCH HAVE PLAN

TORONTO, March 1—Nearly 2,000,000 members and adherents of the United Church of Canada, will during the week of March 2nd to 10th, be invited to participate in a unique plan whereby they may express their loyalty to their country through the purchase of War Savings Stamps and Certificates, and also express their devotion to their church by registering a portion of their Certificates in the name of the United Church of Canada to retire a deficit of \$1,000,000 incurred during the years of increased missionary effort and decreased revenue.

The Chairman of the National Committee to direct the effort is John J. Gibson, prominent businessman of Toronto. Associated with him are A. J. Mitchell, R. A. Daly, C. E. Ab's and W. M. MacLeod.

Thousands of women members of the United Church of Canada, headed by Mrs. Margaret Fox, immediate past President of the Woman's Missionary Society are lending their support to the drive. Already approved by the General Council in principle the details of the plan have been discussed and approved by Church Presbyteries throughout the Dominion. One Conference of the Church has already donated \$300,000 to its funds toward the purchase of War Savings Certificates and has threatened to do the same in the United Church of Canada.

Special name committees are being set up in every Conference under the direction of A. J. Mitchell. These committees will seek to encourage larger participation. Publicity for the

effort is being directed by James Fisher, well-known advertising executive. T. Edgar Plewman, recently home from mission work in China, is directing the effort of the Young People's Guilds and Sunday Schools. Rev. Daniel G. Ricard, F.R.A., is the director of the campaign-wide efforts. Directors appointed to organize the work in the Conferences are: Maritime, Rev. Theodore Ross; Montreal and Ottawa, Rev. J. D. McCrea; Bay of Quinte, Rev. J. Semple; Toronto, Rev. F. M. MacDonald and Rev. W. Albert Johnson; Hamilton, Rev. W. Flanagan; London, Rev. E. Hart; Manitoba, Rev. J. E. Jones and Rev. J. S. Lett; Saskatchewan, Rev. T. H. Sendall; Alberta, Rev. A. K. McKinnon; British Columbia, Rev. G. A. Wilson.

The educational work in connection with the effort is being directed mainly through the Church organ, the United Church Observer. For two weeks the direction of the Church has been raised to \$200,000. Posters and literature are already in the hands of local committees and in many instances the every-person canvas has begun.

Conferences, Presbyteries and local charges have been asked to make it a special effort to be the most enthusiastic effort seen in the United Church for many years." The plan offers opportunity to serve the country and at the same time provides for the elimination of the church deficit in seven and a half years, so that the church may be ready for the post-war responsibilities it will face.



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If mites are present they will be found in the screenings obtained from sifting samples of grain. Use a magnifying glass to examine dust at house temperatures.

Further information may be obtained from the District Agricultural Officer, Mites Agent, Dominion Entomological Branch, Lethbridge, or the Field Crops Branch, Edmonton.

Department of Agriculture

HON. D. B. MACHILLAN, Minister

Deputy Minister

O. S. LONGMAN,

Field Crops Commissioner.